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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1770.

ORDERED, That the following Bill, entitled, *An Act to redreſs the Evils ariſing from the Variation of the Compaſs in ſurveying Lands*, be Printed in the *Maryland* Gazette, for the Peruſal of the Inhabitants of this Province.

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WHEREAS it appears to this General Aſſembly, that there hath been, for many Years paſt, a Weſterly Variation of the Compaſs, and that it is found, by Experiments, that the ſaid Variation hath been, for at leaſt Forty Years paſt, and ſtill is decreaſing; or that the Direction of the Needle hath inclined and approached, and ſtill doth incline and approach towards the true North Point, at about the Rate of Three Minutes in One Year, or One Degree in Twenty Years; by Means whereof, if the Needle is alone regarded, every Survey will be continually changing its Place, and no Tract of Land heretofore ſurveyed within this Province can be again ſurveyed, or run out agreeable to its ancient Location; from whence great Contentions muſt ariſe among the People of this Province, and landed Property rendered altogether precarious: For Remedy whereof, and the better to aſcertain the true Situation of any Tract of Land, according to the original Running, or laying out thereof: *Be it enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Conſent of his Lordſhip's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houſes of Aſſembly, and the Authority of the ſame*, That the Decreaſe of Variation, or Inclination and Approach of the Needle, from the Weſtward towards the true North Point, ſhall be eſtimated, and taken to have been, for at leaſt Forty Years paſt, at the Rate, or Quantity, of Three Minutes in every One Year, or One Degree in every Twenty Years; and that in running the Lines, or Courſes, of all Lands in this Province, ſurveyed and laid out within Forty Years next, before the Time of the Firſt Experiment and Obſervation of the Variation, by this Act directed, ſo far as the Limits of ſuch Tract, or Tracts of Land, depend on Courſe and Diſtance only, there ſhall be an Allowance made for Variation, at the Rate abovementioned, according to the Length of the Time between the Date of the Certificate of each reſpective Survey, and the Date of the Firſt Experiment and Obſervation of the Variation, by this Act directed as aforeſaid; and from and after the ſaid Firſt Experiment and Obſervation, a farther Allowance ſhall be made, at ſuch Rate as the Needle ſhall be found to vary, or to have varied, from the Direction it had at the Time of the ſaid Firſt Experiment and Obſervation; *That is to ſay*, in running the Line and Courſes of all ſuch Lands, the Inſtrument by which they are run, ſhall always be directed to the left Hand of the Courſes mentioned in the Certificate, or Patent, ſo many Degrees and Minutes as ſuch Allowances ſhall amount unto, computing the Time from the Date of the Certificate until the Time of ſuch Running; and, that in running the Lines, and Courſes, of any Tract of Land of an older Date than Forty Years back, ſo far as the Limits of ſuch Tract of Land depend on Courſe and Diſtance only, there ſhall be allowed, for Variation, Two Degrees, and no more, up to the Time of the Experiment and Obſervation beforementioned; and from and after the Time of the ſaid Experiment and Obſervation, the ſame Allowance ſhall be made, and in the ſame Manner in the Lines and Courſes thereof as in younger Surveys; and the Lines and Courſes of all Lands run with the Allowance, and Allowances, for Variation, as in this Act directed, ſhall be deemed and taken to be the true Lines, or Courſes of the ſaid Lands; at the Ends of which Lines, it ſhall and may be lawful, for the Owner, or Owners, in Preſence of the Surveyor and Four Freeholders of the Neighbourhood, not of Kin to ſuch Owner, or Owners, to ſet up marked Stones, or other durable marked Boundaries; and that the Variation may, for the future, be accurately obſerved, and the Deviation of the Needle from the Direction it had at any particular Time may at any future Time be certainly known: *Be it enacted, by the Authority aforeſaid*, That it ſhall and may be lawful, for the Juſtices of each County Court in this Province, and they are hereby directed and required, as ſoon as may be, after *March* Court next, to be held for each County, reſpectively, to employ ſome diſcreet and ſkilful Perſon, at the County Charge, to take a true Meridian, at ſome convenient Place in each County, and cauſe to be ſet up and fitted for Obſervations, and kept in good Repair, Two durable Pillars of Brick, or Stone, in the Plane of ſuch Meridian, at a proper Diſtance from each other, to ſtand and remain, as Marks of the true Meridian Line for each reſpective County; and, at the County Charge, to provide a good and well graduated Theodolite in every County; which Theodolite, and no other, ſhall be uſed by every Surveyor, in ſurveying Lands in his reſpective County; and the Juſtices of each County, with the Surveyor of the ſame County, ſhall, in Twenty Days after the Meridian in their reſpective County ſhall be ſo taken, and Theodolite provided, accurately obſerve how much the Direction of the Needle of the ſaid Theodolite varies, or differs from the ſaid Meridian, and the Variation, or Difference ſo obſerved, they ſhall cauſe to be noted down, with the Day and Year when the Obſervation and Trial was made, in a Book to be prepared for that Purpoſe, and kept by the Clerk of their reſpective Courts, among the Records thereof; and the Surveyor, or Surveyors of each County, are hereby ordered and required, every Year, on the Second Day of *Auguſt* Court, in the ſeveral Counties, if it ſhall be a Day fit to take an Obſervation, if not, on the next fit Day, to produce the Theodolite belonging to his, or their reſpective County, and the ſame to try, at the Meridian Line, in the Preſence of the Juſtices, or any Three of them, that the Court ſhall appoint for that Purpoſe, and, on every ſuch Trial and Obſervation, whatever the Needle ſhall be found to have varied from the Direction it had at the laſt preceding Trial, the ſaid Juſtices ſhall cauſe to be noted down, with the Time of making ſuch Trial, in the Book aforeſaid, and the Variation ſo found upon ſuch Trial, and Trials, together with the Variation by this Act ordered to be allowed for the Time preceding the Firſt Obſervation that ſhall be made, as above directed, ſhall be allowed in re-ſurveying the Lines and Courſes of all Lands within this Province. *And be it alſo enacted*, That if any ſuch Surveyor ſhall neglect, or omit to try the Theodolite, and obſerve the Variation, at the Time, and in the Manner as by this Act is directed, or ſhall ſurvey, or run out the Courſes of any Lands with any other Inſtrument than the County Theodolite, or that ſhall not make the Allowance for Variation in running the Lines, or Courſes of any Land, as by this Act directed, every ſuch Surveyor, for every ſuch Neglect, Omiſſion, or Tranſgreſſion, ſhall forfeit the Sum of Fifty Pounds current Money, to be recovered by Action of Debt, with Coſts, or by Indictment; One Half thereof to the Uſe of the Informer, if any, and the other Half, if any Informer, or if none, then the whole of ſuch Forfeiture to the Uſe of the County where the Recovery ſhall be had, to be applied towards the Diſcharge of that County Levy. And, whereas, when Lands ſhall be hereafter ſurveyed and laid down, with Allowance for Variation, according to the Directions in this Act; it may be found that Houſes, Fences, or other Improvements, will be left out of One Survey and included within the Lines of ſome other Tract, or taken by an elder Tract from a younger, or be left upon vacant Land, and it may be thought grevious to diſpoſeſs Perſons of ſuch Improvements made upon Lands to which they thought they had legal Title; for Prevention whereof, *Be it enacted, by the Authority, Advice and Conſent aforeſaid*, That in all Caſes where it ſhall appear that by Means of the Allowance for Variation given by this Act, the Houſes, or other Improvements, that are upon any Tract, or Parcel of Land, are left out of the Lines thereof, and included within the Lines of any other Tract, or ſhall be taken by an elder Tract from a younger, the Perſon, or Perſons, out of the Lines of whoſe Land ſuch Houſes and Improvements are excluded, or who ſhall hold the younger Survey, from which an elder Survey ſhall take as aforeſaid, ſhall have Liberty to remove the ſame; and, if the Improvements ſo excluded, left out, or taken away, ſhall conſiſt of an Houſe, or Houſes, in which the Perſon, or Perſons, holding the ſame, or his, her, or their Tenant, or Tenants, doth, or do uſually dwell, or any other valuable Houſe that cannot eaſily be removed, the Owner, or Owners of ſuch Dwelling-Houſe, or other valuable Houſes, ſhall have and hold all that Part of ſuch Tract of Land which would otherwiſe be taken away by the Allowance for Variation by the ſame Title that he hath in and to his other Land, out of which it ſhall be taken, he paying to the Perſon, or Perſons, within the Lines of whoſe Lands ſuch Dwelling-Houſe, or Houſes, may be included, a reaſonable Price for ſuch Land, excluſive of ſaid Houſe, or Houſes; and in caſe Diverſity of Sentiment ſhould ariſe between the Owners of ſuch neighbouring Tracts, about the reaſonable Value of ſuch Land, *Be it enacted*, That in all ſuch Caſes it ſhall and may be lawful, for the Perſon, or Perſons, in Poſſeſſion, to name Six Arbitrators out of the moſt reſpectable Inhabitants in that Part of the County where the Lands lie, not of Kin to either of thoſe who may be intereſted; out of which Three ſhall, or may, be ſtruck by the Perſon, or Perſons, into whoſe Survey the ſame Land and Improvements would fall, and ſuch Arbitrators, ſo ſtruck, as aforeſaid, ſhall finally ſettle and adjuſt ſuch Difference, as aforeſaid, and ſet a Price on the Lands, excluſive of Improvements, aforeſaid, upon Payment, or Tender and Refuſal, whereof the Poſſeſſor of ſuch Lands, ſhall, by Force and Virtue of this Act be ſeized of, and entitled unto the ſame Eſtate therein, as he, ſhe, or they, may have, in his, her, or their Land, out of which the ſame ſhall be ſo taken. *And be it further enacted, by the Authority aforeſaid*, That in Caſe any Tract, or Part of a Tract of Land, ſhall, by Means of the Allowance given by this Act for Variation become vacant, the Perſon, or Perſons, to whom the ſame belonged, or within whoſe Lines it was included, according to the Direction of the Needle before ſuch Allowance given, ſhall have the Pre-emption thereof, without being obliged to pay for the Buildings, or other Improvements that may be found thereon: *Provided always*, That if ſuch Perſon or Perſons, do not ſurvey and take up ſuch Vacancy, within Twelve Months, after Diſcovery and Notice given to him, or them, thereof, that then it ſhall and may be lawful for any other Perſon to ſurvey and take up the ſame: *Provided always*, That wherever ſuch immovable Improvements, as aforeſaid, which ſhall happen to be taken into any other Survey, or be left upon vacant Land, as aforeſaid, ſhall be the Right of a Minor, or Minors, the legal Guardian of ſuch Minor, or Minors, ſhall pay the Value of the Land, as aforeſaid, or take up and ſecure the ſame, as the Caſe may happen, on Behalf of the ſaid Minor; and if the Profits of the ſaid Minor's Eſtate, over and above the Maintenance of ſuch Minor, or Minors, will not be ſufficient to reimburſe ſuch Payment, or Expence of taking up and ſecuring ſuch Land, the ſaid Minor, or Minors, ſhall be liable to his, her, or their Guardian therefor, when he, ſhe, or they, ſhall arrive at full Age; any Thing herein before contained to the contrary, in any wiſe, notwithſtanding.

LISBON, *September* 24.

A Suſpenſion of Arms has been concluded between our Court and the Emperor of Morocco, and Orders have been diſpatched to different Sea-Ports, not to hinder the Moorish Veſſels from entering our Harbours.

WARSAW, *Sept.* 30. The Turks are retired towards the Danube, with the utmoſt Precipitation. It is computed they have loſt no leſs than 28,000 Men in the Courſe of this Month, and above 40,000 have deſerted, in their Retreat from Choczim to Bender, and taken the ſhorteſt Road to return to their own Country.

L O N D O N,

Oct. 17. It is ſaid, that a great trading Company have come to a Reſolution to keep up a conſiderable naval Force of their own, to be compoſed of Ships from 20 to 50 Guns, and to take a Number of Seamen into their Pay for this Purpoſe only.

A Letter from Plymouth, dated October 8, ſays, "Yeſterday Evening a Clergyman embarked with a young Lady of conſiderable Fortune, ſaid to belong to the Neighbourhood of Taviſtock, and are going for Guernſey, where it is thought they will be married. The Lady is extremely handſome, and entitled to a Fortune of 20,000 l. on her coming of Age, beſides great Expectations. Her Intrepidity is to be admired, as ſhe is gone in a ſmall open Boat of about Ten Tons Burthen."

Oct. 18. The Perſians have taken Arms, and aſſembled a great Force in the Neighbourhood of Bagdad, which cauſes Speculation among the Turks.

Letters from Conſtantinople, by this Day's Mail, mention, that the Ottomans were thrown into great Conſternation by the Appearance of a Comet, which is always looked upon as a dreadful Omen by thoſe ſuperſtitious People.

We hear a Meſſenger will be ſent in a few Days, on Affairs of great Moment to his Majeſty's Ambaſſador at Conſtantinople.

We hear a Loan of one Million Sterling is now negociating both at London and Amſterdam, on Account of a powerful northern Court, and that the Subſcription among the monied Men in the City fills apace.

Oct. 19. It is confidently aſſerted that a *Nullum Tempus* Bill, as to the Claims of the Church, is now under Conſideration, being looked upon as equally neceſſary for eſtabliſhing the Rights of the People, as that which lately paſſed into a Law in Regard to the Claims of the Crown. It is expected to meet with Oppoſition from the Gentlemen of the Long Robe, as it would prove deſtructive to the moſt fertile Branch of Litigation.

Extract of a Letter from Vienna, September 23.

"A few Days ago the Nuncio of the Court of Rome had a private Audience of the Empreſs Queen, in which it is aſſured his Excellency declared, that the Pope, in Compliance with the repeated Repreſentations of the Courts of Verſailles, Madrid, Naples, and Liſbon, as well as from other Motives, had at laſt reſolved to ſuppreſs the Order of Jeſuits; that his Holineſs was willing to give her Imperial Majeſty immediate Notice of this Reſolution, that ſhe might take the neceſſary Meaſures with Reſpect to the Jeſuits in her Dominions. If this News proves true, all the Eſtates of thoſe Fathers, in the Dominions of the Houſe of Auſtria, will be ſeized, and adminiſtred in the Name of the Sovereign; one Third of which will be made uſe of as a Penſion for the Jeſuits; another Third will be employed in Works of Piety, and the reſt will be added to the public Revenue."

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, October 10.

"Some Letters have been received here from Vienna, which inſinuate, that there is ſome Appearance of a Deſign formed by the Empreſs Queen, to prevail with the King of Poland to quit the Throne in Favour of the Duke of Saxe-Teſchen; and that if Perſuaſion ſhould not ſucceed, that other more efficacious Meaſures will be purſued. How ſtrange ſoever this News may appear, it is ſtrongly aſſerted in ſome Letters, as well as that the Empreſs Queen is determined to aſſign Part of the Auſtrian Low Countries, as a marriage Portion for the future Dauphineſs."

Oct. 23. It is ſaid, that the great Purport of ſome Diſpatches received on Friday, by his Excellency Baron de Dieden, from the Court of Copenhagen, is, to demand the Aſſiſtance of this Nation in the War between the Danes and Algerines.

They write from Copenhagen, that notwithſtanding the Dey of Algiers had declared War againſt the Danes, they were not without Hopes of making up the Breach, by the friendly Mediation of the Court of Great-Britain.

Oct. 24. Yeſterday ſome Diſpatches were received from his Excellency John Murray, Eſq; his Majeſty's Ambaſſador at Conſtantinople.

Applications having been made to a certain great Perſonage, from ſo many People of Rank and Fortune, for Permiſſion to ſerve under the Ruſſian Banner againſt the Turks, the Advice of the C——l, it is ſaid, was taken with Reſpect to what Anſwer ſhould be returned; when it was thought proper, from our preſent Situation, that Negatives ſhould be given to all ſuch Requeſts.

It is reported, that Advice is arrived, by Land, to Holland, from the Coaſt of Coromandel, that the Engliſh Eaſt-India Company had made a long Truce with Heyder Ally; and that the Negociations for an abſolute Peace were very far advanced with him.

They write from Algiers, that the Inhabitants are in daily Expectation of a Bombardment, having received Advice that the Danes were preparing to ſend a ſtrong Squadron into the Mediterranean.

They write from Ferrol, that a Ship of 90 Guns was lately launched there, and the Keel of another of the ſame Rate immediately put upon the ſame Stocks. It is added, that the Spaniards are indefatigable in augmenting their Marine.

Oct. 25. It is aſſerted, that the Empreſs of Ruſſia, in Conſequence of the good Terms ſhe is on with the Court of Great-Britain, will repeal ſome commercial Laws, which were looked upon as ſevere by the Engliſh Merchants.

The Perſians ſeem to want to draw ſome Advantage from the War between the Porte and Ruſſia: They have aſſembleſt an Army on the Side of Bagdad; and from the Motions making by the Turks at Diarbeck, it appears that they are apprehenſive of ſome Miſchief on that Side.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, October 20.

"Sir Joſeph Yorke, Ambaſſador from Great-Britain, has lately delivered a Memorial to the States-General, complaining of their Behaviour on the Coaſt of Africa, in endeavouring to monopolize the Tobacco Trade in that Country to the Prejudice of the Engliſh, and demanding that the neceſſary Orders may be ſent to that Country, to put a Stop to ſuch illicit Proceedings."

The Opinion that Mr. Yorke will be made Chancellor, in Caſe of a Vacancy in that Office, is again revived, and aſſerted by thoſe who are intimately connected with State Affairs.

Oct. 26. The Suppoſition of Lord Holland being gone abroad on Account of the public Clamour in general, or the late Reſolution of the Livery of London in particular, is falſe and abſurd. His Health has long been in a moſt precarious and dangerous State, inſomuch that Strawberries (by the Advice of his Phyſicians) have been, for a long Time, almoſt the Whole of his Lordſhip's Food. The Two laſt Winters the Noble Lord ſpent moſtly abroad, and the pure, ſerene, and ſettled Air of the South of France, and ſimilar Climates, being found more ſalutary to his Lordſhip's Health than his own Country, it is very natural that he ſhould try again the ſame ſalubrious Medicine, and this is the mighty Secret, and mighty Cauſe of Lord Holland's preſent Journey; a Journey which was ſettled by his Lordſhip, and well known in his Family, and by his intimate Friends, long before laſt Midſummer Day.

On Tueſday Evening an Expreſs arrived in Town, with the melancholy Account that the Right Hon. the Earl of Eglinton was that Day, about 12 o'Clock, mortally wounded; and Yeſterday we received certain Information, that his Lordſhip expired about one o'Clock in the Morning. The inhuman Villain who perpetrated this execrable Murder, was ſhooting in Lord Eglinton's Park at Ardroſſan; and having been queſtioned by his Lordſhip as being a Poacher, he fired upon him at ſome Yards Diſtance: His Lordſhip fatally received the whole Shot in his Belly, and expired with great Agony, though with much Compoſure of Mind. He died at his Houſe at Eglinton (to which he was carried after the ſad Diſaſter) in Preſence of his Mother and Brother, to whom he bade an affecting Farewel. The Servants ſeized the atrocious Murderer, one Mungo Campbell, Officer of Exciſe at Saltcoats, who now lies in the County Jail. How deeply muſt every feeling Heart be affected, when a Life truly valuable to Mankind, is taken away by the Hands of ſuch a Wretch! His Lordſhip was eminently diſtinguiſhed for his humane, polite, and eaſy Behaviour, on every Occaſion. He was adorned with all the fine Talents of the Gentleman, and in ſeveral important Affairs diſplayed his Abilities and Zeal for the Service of his Country, in the moſt auguſt Aſſembly of this Nation. Thoſe who had the Honour of his Lordſhip's Acquaintance, will long and deeply lament the unhappy Death of a Nobleman of conſummate Humanity, the moſt engaging Politeneſs, and poſſeſſed of every Quality that can command the Affection and Eſteem of Mankind.

His Lordſhip is ſucceeded in Honours and Eſtate by his Brother, the Hon. Col. Archibald Montgomery.

Oct. 27. We are credibly informed, that the long contended Cauſe between the Right Hon. the Earl of Halifax and John Wilkes, Eſq; will be brought to an Iſſue in next Term, every Thing being now ready for determining that important Affair.

Yeſterday Morning were entered at the Cuſtom-Houſe, Forty-five Hogſheads of Tobacco, as a Preſent for John Wilkes, Eſq; it is ſaid the above Tobacco will render a conſiderable Sum.

It is aſſerted that Lord Holland, a ſhort Time before he went abroad, delivered into the Treaſury Accounts and Money, to the Amount of 25,000,000l.

Oct. 28. It is ſaid the Reaſon of a certain Nobleman's Journey, at this Time, to foreign Parts, is, that from ſome late Circumſtances it appears, as if it was the Plan of the preſent Set to give him up to appeaſe the People's Rage.

It is to the above alone, and not to any Guilt in himſelf, his Friends ſay, he has determined on his Journey for his Health; but from this Appearance of Timidity, at the Time when Trial would be made of his Integrity, and at the Approach of which, ſurely, Innocence would rejoice, renders the film too thin to hide from public Diſcernment the Defects it is intended to cover.

The Somerſet Petition meets with the greateſt Succeſs, notwithſtanding the Efforts of a neighbouring N————n to impede it.

B O S T O N, *December* 11.

By Captain Huſſey, juſt arrived from Cagliari, in the Iſland of Sardinia, we are informed, that the Sardinians are very uneaſy about their new Neighbours the French, ſince their Conqueſt of Corſica, being apprehenſive, before long, of ſharing the ſame Fate.

'Tis ſaid a Veſſel is arrived from Falmouth, and brings the following Account——That Governor Bernard was called to an Account, to anſwer his Charge againſt the better Sort of People of this his Majeſty's ancient and loyal Province. That the Ruſſian Fleet, conſiſting of 15 capital Ships, and a Number of Tranſports were arrived in the Engliſh Channel; and that the French were fitting out a large Fleet at Toulon, in order, it's thought, to intercept them in the Spring. That a Corſican Prieſt had rallied all thoſe brave Iſlanders who ſtill adhered to their Liberties, gave Battle to, and entirely routed the French; and when they came to bury their Dead, they found a Number of Heroines dreſſed in Mens Cloaths, who fell in the glorious Cauſe of Liberty. And that there was as great a Parliamenteering in many Parts of England, as if the Parliament was actually diſſolved.

N E W-Y O R K, *December* 25.

By the Honourable CADWALLADER COLDEN, *Eſq; his Majeſty's Lieutenant-Governor, and Commander in Chief of the Province of* New-York, *and the Territories depending thereon in* America.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS a certain ſeditious Paper, was lately printed, publiſhed, and diſperſed in this City, directed "To the Public," in the Words following:

"The Spirit of the Times rendered it neceſſary for "the Inhabitants of this Colony to convene, in order "effectually to avert the deſtructive Conſequences of "the late *baſe, inglorious* Conduct of our General Aſ"ſembly, who have, in Oppoſition to the loud and "general Voice of their Conſtituents,—the Dictates of "ſound Policy,—the Ties of Gratitude, and the "glorious Struggle we have engaged in for our inva"luable Birth-rights, dared to vote Supplies to the "Troops, without the leaſt Shadow of a Pretext for "their pernicious Grant. The moſt eligible Place "will be in the Fields, near Mr. De La Montagne's, "and the Time,—between 10 and 11 o'Clock in the "Morning, where we doubt not every Friend to his "Country will attend. LEGION."

Which Paper having been taken into Conſideration by the General Aſſembly of the ſaid Province, the Houſe did, on the 19th Day of *December* laſt, come to the following Reſolutions thereupon.

Reſolved, Nemine Contradicente, That the ſaid Paper is an infamous Libel, and contains a ſcandalous Reflection on the Conduct, Honour, and Dignity of this Houſe.

Reſolved, Nemine Contradicente, That the Author, or Authors of the ſaid Paper, is, and are guilty of a high Miſdemeanor.

Reſolved, Nemine Contradicente, That an humble Addreſs be preſented to his Honour the Lieutenant Governor, requeſting he will be pleaſed to iſſue a Proclamation, offering a Reward of *Fifty Pounds*, to any Perſon or Perſons, who ſhall diſcover the Author or Authors of the above recited Paper, ſo that they may be brought to condign Puniſhment.

I have therefore thought fit, by and with the Advice of his Majeſty's Council, to iſſue this Proclamation, hereby, in his Majeſty's Name, offering a Reward of *Fifty Pounds*, to any Perſon or Perſons, who ſhall diſcover the Author or Authors of the above mentioned Paper, ſo that he or they be thereof convicted: And over and above the ſaid Reward, I do hereby promiſe his Majeſty's moſt gracious Pardon to any Accompice or Accomplices, who ſhall diſcover the Author or Authors of the ſeditious Paper aforeſaid.

Given under my Hand and Seal at Arms, at Fort-George, *in the City of* New-York, *the* 20th *Day of* December, 1769, *in the Tenth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord* GEORGE *the Third, by the Grace of* GOD, *of* Great-Britain, France, *and* Ireland, *King, Defender of the Faith,* and ſo forth.

CADWALLADER COLDEN.

By his Honour's Command,
GW. BARYAR, D. Secry.

GOD ſave the KING.

To the Freeholders, Freemen, and Inhabitants of the City of New-York, that met in the Fields, on Monday laſt.

GENTLEMEN,

Agreeable to your Requiſition, the Committee appointed by you (except Mr. Thurman, who declined ſerving) have made the following Report to your Repreſentatives, to wit.

To John Cruger, James Jauncey, James de Lancey, *and* Jacob Walton, *Eſquires, Repreſentatives for the City and County of* New-York, *in General Aſſembly.*

GENTLEMEN,

THIS Day a very conſiderable Number of the Inhabitants met in the Fields, to conſider of the Inexpediency, and dangerous Conſequences that would reſult to this Colony, and the common Cauſe of Liberty, by granting Money to ſupport his Majeſty's Troops. After waiting on the Ground from Eleven to Twelve o'Clock, they appointed a Gentleman to propound the neceſſary Queſtions, in order to gain the Sentiments of the People:—Which being done, he ſtated and explained the Vote paſſed by the honourable Houſe of Aſſembly, for granting the Money to ſupport the Troops: After a ſmall Pauſe, the Queſtion was put, Whether they approved of the Houſe of Aſſembly, for granting the Money to ſupport the Troops? Which was carried in the Negative, there being but very few for the Affirmative; not more in our Opinion than Five or Six. And then the Queſtion was put, Whether they were for giving any Money to the Troops, on any Conſideration, whatſoever? Which was carried in the Negative, there being not more for the Affirmative than there were on the former Queſtion. Immediately thereupon the Queſtion was put, Whether they would appoint a Committee to communicate the whole of this Tranſaction to their Members? Which was carried in the Affirmative; and accordingly the following Gentlemen were appointed.

Jacobus Van Zandt, John Lamb, Iſaac Sears, Samuel Broome, James Van Vaurk, Eraſmus Williams, Caſper Wiſtar, Thomas Franklin, jun. John Thurman, and Alexander M'Dougal,

The Repreſentatives received the Committee with *Decency*; and in general returned for Anſwer,—That they were of Opinion, the Majority of the Inhabitants were diſpoſed to give Money to ſupport the Troops, and that it was now too late to pay any Regard to the above Report of the Committee.

ANNAPOLIS, *January* 4.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleaſed to nominate and appoint, Meſſieurs ROBERT COUDEN and JOHN CLAPHAM Commiſſioners for emitting Bills of Credit, &c.

Annapolis, January 4, 1770.

WHEREAS the Subſcriber propoſes to leave off Tavern-Keeping, and quit the Town this enſuing Spring: Thoſe who have any Claims againſt him are deſired to bring them in, and ſuch as are indebted to him are likewiſe requeſted to ſettle them, to prevent any Thing that may be diſagreeable to them, *And their humble Servant,*

BERIAH MAYBURY.

N. B. He has for Sale, a new Boat, Burthen about 600 Buſhels, with new Sails, Rigging, Anchors and Cables.

Annapolis, January 3, 1770.

THE General Assembly having been pleased to grant to the Value of 7500 l. Sterling, for building a State-House, in *Annapolis*, with good and convenient Rooms for the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and for holding the Provincial Court, separate from each other, Two convenient Rooms for the Use of Jurors attending the Provincial Court, and Four convenient Rooms for the Use of Committees of the Lower House of Assembly, and also good, convenient, safe, and secure Rooms for Offices and Repositories of the Records of the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, High Court of Chancery, High Court of Appeals, Provincial Court, Prerogative Court, and Land-Office; and for enlarging, repairing, and enclosing the Parade, not exceeding its present Length of 245 Feet, and 160 in Breadth, designed to be enclosed with Stone or Brick Wall, and Iron Palisadoes, if the Iron Inclosure should not exceed 500 l. Sterling, and to be laid with Flag, or other Stone or Gravel.

The Superintendants appointed by the Act, being greatly desirous of laying out the Money the most to the Honour and Approbation of the Public, request any who please to be at the Trouble of forming Plans and Estimates, and of communicating them to the Superintendants by the Seventeenth Day of April next.——It is expected the Building will not exceed 150 Feet in Length, or 100 Feet in Breadth, and the Expences of Brick and Stone are desired to be estimated.

A Person will be wanted to overlook the Execution of the Plan; such as are qualified are desired to apply by that Time, and those who are willing to furnish Materials, may attend the Superintendants at *Annapolis*, the first Day of *May* next.

Annapolis, January 3, 1770.

——— *Ingenuas didiciſſe fideliter artes,*
Emollit mores, nec ſinit eſſe feros. OVID.

THE Public are hereby informed, that the Subſcribers purpoſe opening School, on Monday next, being the 8th Inſtant, where they propoſe teaching the *Latin* and *Greek* Languages; and alſo, Reading in the *Engliſh* Tongue, with Propriety; Writing; Arithmetic; Bookkeeping, and the moſt uſeful Branches of the Mathematics. Any Gentleman that will favour them with his Children, may depend on their utmoſt Endeavours to forward them in every Reſpect. They alſo intend opening an Evening School.

N. B. As there are ſeveral Rooms convenient for the accomodating of Boys in the ſaid School, the Subſcribers therefore being deſirous of occupying them in that Manner, humbly ſolicit the Favour and Encouragement of the Public.

SAMUEL CULBERTSON, &
THOMAS BALL.

January 2, 1770.

To be Sold by the Subſcriber, living near the Sugar-Loaf *Mountain, in* Frederick *County,*

A Tract of Land, containing about Six Hundred Acres, with ſeveral Houſes thereon; alſo, all Kind of Fruit, ſuch as Apples, Peaches, Cherries, and Pear Trees: There is near Thirty Acres of it clear'd, 'tis under a good Fence, and at One End thereof, there is an excellent Still-Houſe, ſituate in ſuch a Manner as always to have plenty of Water to ſupply the Stills, without having the Trouble of making Uſe of a Pump, or going out of the Houſe for Water: He has alſo Two Stills in ſaid Houſe, which he will either ſell or rent as they can agree. The Land is healthy and pleaſantly ſituated, lying within Twelve Miles of *Frederick-Town*, and has plenty of Timber thereon. The Land is well adapted to planting or farming Buſineſs, together with it's being contiguous to a large and an extenſive Range, which will always be the Caſe, makes it vaſtly Valuable. Any Perſon or Perſons, inclinable to purchaſe, may apply to

(w6) LEONARD WAYMAN.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Samuel Jones*, in *Prince-George*'s County, near *Snowdens* Iron-Works, taken up as a Stray, a gray MARE, about 13 Hands high, branded on the near Shoulder thus I, has no other perceivable Brand, paces ſlow.

The Owner may have her again, on proving Property and paying Charges.

Baltimore, December 27, 1769.

Wanted to Charter for England *and* Ireland,

TWO Veſſels that will carry about Five Thouſand Buſhels of Wheat, or a Thouſand Barrels of Flour each. The cuſtomary Freight will be given, by (3w) JOHN STEVENSON.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, at *Marſh* Creek, an indented Servant Man, named THOMAS WHITE, a Carpenter by Trade, about Five Feet Six Inches high, thin Viſage, red Hair, wears it ſometimes tied, and he formerly liv'd with Mr. *Roberts* in *Annapolis*: Had on, when he went away, a blue patch'd Coat and Jacket, and Leather Breeches.——Whoever takes up ſaid Servant, and ſecures him in any Jail, ſhall have Fifty Shillings Reward, and reaſonable Charges if brought home, paid by

ROBERT BIGHAM.

BY virtue of a Commiſſion from *Anne-Arundel* County Court, to us the Subſcribers, for the Perpetuation of the Bounds of a Tract of Land, lying in the ſaid County, called YATES's CONTRIVANCE, We hereby give Notice, that we ſhall attend on the Premiſes, on Monday the 12th of *February* next, in order to examine Evidences, agreeable to Act of Aſſembly, of this Province. Given under our Hands *December* 20, 1769.

JOHN DORSEY,
JOSHUA GRIFFITH,
NICHO*s*. G. RIDGELY,
(w3) AQUILLA RANDALL.

King-ſbury Furnace, *Baltimore* County, *Nov* 30.

A TRACT of Land, called SHERRING's BOTTOM, being offered for Sale, by *Robert Long*, of *Baltimore* County; to prevent an Impoſition on others, and Trouble to myſelf, I take Leave to inform, that much the greater Part of ſaid Land is included within the Lines of an elder Survey, made by the Principio Company: The Truth of which Matter any Perſon may be ſatisfied, by applying to FRANCIS PHILLIPS.

Maryland, October 24, 1769.

WHEREAS Complaint has been made to me, One of his Lordſhip's the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary's Juſtices for *Baltimore* County, by MARY CHAPMAN, that on the 19th Day of *September* laſt paſt, Two Men, one named THOMAS PLANT, the other JAMES GORDON, took of her Property, an Apparatus of a PUPPET SHOW, *Punch*'s Head remarkably large: GORDON is a Taylor by Trade, and had many Clothes with him, he is about 25 Years of Age. THOMAS PLANT is an uncommon ſhort Man, and looks ſtrangely with his Eyes, pretty much deformed in his Limbs, beats the Drum and plays Legerdemain. Whoever takes up ſaid Men abovementioned, and ſecures them in any Jail in this Province, ſhall have Four Pounds Reward, paid by the above MARY CHAPMAN, on their ſending Intelligence to Capt. JAMES MAXWELL, in *Gunpowder* Neck, *Baltimore* County, where ſaid MARY CHAPMAN now reſides.

THESE are therefore to require and command all his Lordſhip's good People of this Province, to make diligent Enquiry after the ſaid *Thomas Plant*, and *James Gordon*, by Way of HUE and CRY, and to apprehend the ſaid *Thomas Plant*, and *James Gordon*, or either of them, and to carry them, or him, to ſome Juſtice where taken, to be dealt with according to Law; and for their ſo doing this ſhall be their Warrant. Given under my Hand and Seal, the Day and Year firſt abovewritten. WILLIAM YOUNG.

To all Sheriffs, Conſtables, and others, his Lordſhip's good People in this Province.

THE Public are hereby informed, that the Subſcriber has open'd School, at the Houſe lately occupied by Mr. CANNON, in *Market-Street*, where will be taught, after the moſt approved Methods, (with Care and Aſſiduity) Reading, with Propriety; Writing, in various Hands; Arithmetic, Vulgar and Decimal, in all its Branches; Extraction of the Square and Cube Roots; Biquadrate, &c. Menſuration of Superficies and Solids; Geometrical Problems and Definitions; Practical and Plain Geometry; Surveying; Gauging; Navigation; Dialling; Geography; and how to take Heights and Diſtances of Objects, acceſſible or inacceſſible. I alſo ſhall attend an Evening School, from 6 until 9 o'Clock, for the Advantage of thoſe whoſe Buſineſs will not permit to attend in the Day.——Thoſe that pleaſe to commit the Education of their Children, &c. to my Care, may be aſſured that no Opportunity ſhall be omited to inculcate the Principles of Virtue and Morality, as well as the other Branches of Literature,

By their humble Servant, WILLIAM HUTCHINGS.

Annapolis, December 6, 1769.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Frederick, *Captain* Nicholſon, *and to be ſold by* Thomas Gaſſaway, *jun. or the Subſcriber,*

A CARGO of *European* and *Eaſt-India* GOODS, divided into Aſſortments of different Values, from 700 *l.* and upwards, to 1300 *l.* and upwards. The ſame will be ſold at a moderate Advance, for ready Caſh, Bills of Exchange, or ſhort Credit; the Purchaſer, in the latter Way, giving Bond, with good Security, if required. LEGH MASTER

*** The Committee of Merchants of this City, having fully conſidered all the Papers, and Evidence relative to this Affair, and being quite ſatisfied, that in the Purchaſe and Importation of thoſe Goods, nothing has been done contrary to the true Spirit and Intention of the Articles of Aſſociation of this Province, unanimouſly conſented to their being landed, and diſpoſed of in ſuch Manner as I ſhould think proper. *L. M.*

Cheſter-Town, Nov. 14, 1769.

BY Virtue of a Power given to us, the Subſcribers, by the Teſtament and Laſt Will of *George Garnett*, late of *Kent* County, deceaſed, the late Dwelling-Houſe and Lot of the ſaid *George Garnett*, ſituate on the River-Side, in *Cheſter-Town*, will be expoſed to Public Sale, at the Premiſes, on the 15th Day of *January* next, by

MARY GARNETT, & JOSEPH GARNETT,
Executors of G. GARNETT.

To be ſold at Public Vendue, on Wedneſday the 17th of January *next, at the Houſe of Mr.* Ignatius Middleton, *in* Port-Tobacco, Charles *County, for Sterling Caſh, or Current Money, as rated by the Inſpection Laws,*

A TRACT of LAND, containing, by Patent, 400 Acres, but will Meaſure more, lying on *Patowmack* River, Two and an Half Miles below *Sandy* Point, on which are Three Plantations, that rent for 3000 lb. of Tobacco *per Ann.* The Soil is well adopted to either Planting or Farming. The Purchaſer, on paying One Half of the Purchaſe Money, at the Time of Conveyance, will be allowed a reaſonable Time for the Remainder, on giving Bond, with Security, if required. Any Perſon inclinable to treat for ſaid Land, before the Day of Sale, may ſee the Premiſes, and know the Terms, by applying to the Subſcriber living near *Port-Tobacco.* EDWARD SCOTT WARE.

TALBOT County SCHOOL being now vacant, any Perſon who can produce proper Teſtimonials of his Qualification for that Truſt, will be treated with by the Viſitors.

Signed by Order,
THOMAS GOLDSBOROUGH, Regiſter.

To be ſold by the in Charles *County, an Subſcriber, living the 27th inſtant.*

A PARCEL of very likely SLAVES, among which, are ſome Country-born ones. Credit will be given for Two or Three Years, on Intereſt, with Security, if required. Likewiſe ſome Horſes, and Houſehold Furniture to be diſpoſed of, with Land to leaſe for Fifteen Years. SAMUEL HANSON.

Lantaſhire Furnace, *Baltimore* County, *Dec.* 4.

RAN away laſt Night, from the Subſcriber, a Convict Servant, named EDWARD HOOPER, about Twenty-four Years of Age, fair Complexion, about 5 Feet 3 or 4 Inches high, wears his own dark brown Hair: Had on, and took with him, an Oſnabrig Shirt and Trouſers, an old Fearnought Jacket, and Cotton Breeches. This Fellow had on an Iron Collar when he went away, being under a Proſecution for Houſebreaking.

Ran away from his Bail, at the ſame Time, JOHN BISHOP, by Trade a Collier, about Thirty Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, wears his own lank dark brown Hair, is a thin Fellow, ſpeaks in the *Shropſhire* Dialect, and has a remarkable Scar on his left Hand: Had on, and took with him, a Copper coloured Suit of Cloaths, a drab lappelled Waiſtcoat, new blue Cloth Breeches, old blue Coat, and a cloſe bodied Great Coat. It is ſuppoſed he is a great Villain, and has inveigled away the ſaid Servant, who, it's ſuppoſed, he will be in Company with, and poſſibly will ſpare him ſome of his Cloaths; as likewiſe a Woman, who paſſeth for his Wife, and a Child, about Two Years old; the Woman is about Twenty-one, or Twenty two Years of Age, about 5 Feet 1 or 2 Inches high, fair Complexion, and brown Hair; ſhe had on a dark coloured Shalloon Gown, red Petticoat, and black Silk Hat; ſhe ſtrolled ſome Time ago from *Queen-Anne*'s County, on the Eaſtern Shore. Her maiden name was *Anne Hand.* Whoever apprehends ſaid Runaways, ſo that they may be had again, and gives Notice to the Subſcriber, ſhall have Forty Shillings Reward for *Edward Hooper*, and Three Pounds for *John Biſhop*, with reaſonable Charges, if brought home.

(4w) GEORGE RANDELL.

George-Town, Frederick County, *Maryland.*

FOR the diſpoſing of Three Thouſand One Hundred and Eighty Acres of LAND, all lying in *Frederick* and *Prince-George*'s Counties, (except One Hundred and Eighty-four Acres, lying in *Hampſhire* County, *Virginia*) the following SCHEME of a LOTTERY is offered to the PUBLIC, in Hopes it will meet with Encouragement; the Scheme being calculated, as much as poſſible, in Favour of the Adventurers, their being not quite Two and an Half BLANKS to a PRIZE, and the ſeveral Parcels of Land rated at their real Value, *viz.*

	Acres.		Dollars.
New-Holland,	430		1000
Hit the Mark,	235½		600
Part of Concluſion,	204	N°. 15.	400
Friendſhip,	200		450
Part of Concluſion,	191	N°. 7.	400
Part of Concluſion,	148½	N°. 9.	400
Part of Concluſion,	165	N°. 8.	300
Part of Concluſion,	121	N°. 10.	350
Part of Concluſion,	150	N°. 6.	300
Part of Concluſion,	118½	N°. 16.	250
Suſpence,	156		250
Chew's *Folly*,	93		210
Part of Miller's *Beginning*,	100	N°. 1.	200
Part of ditto,	93	N°. 2.	209
One Tract in Virginia,	184		184
Part of Concluſion,	75	N°. 12, 13.	150
Mexico,	92		150
Peru,	87		150
Below Furtaile Meadow,	56		150
Elbow,	66		150
Part of Concluſion,	63		120
Town-Creek,	52		86
Walnut Level,	52		86
Hard Bargain,	48		74
24 Prizes,	3180¾		6600
500 Prizes, at 6 Dollars,			3000
524			9600
1276 Blanks.			
1800 Tickets, at 40 *s.* each,			9600

When the TICKETS are diſpoſed of, the Drawing will begin, (previous Notice of which to be given in the *Maryland* Gazette) in *George-Town*, in preſence of Six of the Managers, (who are to act on Oath) and as many of the Adventurers as ſhall think proper to attend.

The Managers are, Meſſieurs *Robert Peter, John Murdock, Adam Stewart, Zephaniah Turner, Thomas Johns, Thomas Richardſon*, and *Edward Parkinſon*, in *George-Town*; *Richard Henderſon*, and *Andrew Leitch*, in *Bladenſburgh*; *John Hepburn*, Junior, *Upper Marlborough*; *James Brown*, and *Thomas Claggett*, *Piſcataway*; *Thomas Contee*, *Port-Tobacco*; *George Fraxer Hawkins*, *Prince-George*'s County; *Barnard O'Neil*, *St. Mary*'s County; *Feilder Bowie*, at *Nottingham*; *Thomas Duckett*, at *Queen-Anne*; *Charles Beatty*, *Frederick-Town*; and, *James Harris*, *Baltimore-Town*.

A Liſt of the Prizes to be publiſhed in the *Maryland* Gazette, as ſoon as the Drawing is finiſhed. Proper Deeds will be given for the ſeveral Parcels of Land, to the fortunate Adventurers, by *Daniel Stephenſon*, *James Miller*, and *William Deakins*, Junior, and the Caſh Prizes paid off, without any Deduction.

*** There being Vacancy adjoining ſeveral of the ſmall Tracts of Land, the fortunate Adventurers may add thereto by Warrants of Reſurvey.

For FREIGHT *to any Part in* BRITAIN, PORTUGAL, *or* SPAIN,

THE Snow ADERTON, Burthen about 200 Tons, now lying at *Baltimore*. For Terms, apply to (w3) JERE ADERTON.

To be SOLD, or LET, on Leaſe, for TEN YEARS,

THE valuable WATER-MILLS, in *Charles* County, on the Head of *Allen's* Freſh. Twenty Acres of Land, on which the Mills, &c. ſtand, were condemned, and a Leaſe granted for a Number of Years, about 72 of which are to come—There are 4 Pair of Stones on 1 Dam, 2 Tub Mills, and a Double-geered Under-ſhot Mill, which carries 2 Pair of Stones and 2 Bolting Clothes, all new and well fixed.——On the Premiſes are a good Dwelling-Houſe and Store adjoining, a Brick Bake-Houſe, with an Oven that will draw 125 lb of Bread at once, a Granary, Kitchen, and ſeveral Out-Houſes, it is likewiſe well ſituated for Cuſtom, and convenient for Trade.

Any Perſon that inclines to purchaſe, may have Seven Years Time of Payment, on giving Bond and Security, if required, and paying the Intereſt annually; or, if on Leaſe, the Rent muſt be paid annually.

THOMAS CONTEE,
JAMES SWANN.

Annapolis, December 7, 1769.

ON inſpecting the Papers of Mr. *Joſhua Johnſon*, it appears that his Goods, imported in the Ship *Lord Cambden*, were ordered, by his Letter to be ſhipped *April* 14, 1769, agreeable to his Intention ſignified in a former Letter, dated *Sept.* 16, 1768, which ſatisfies the Committee, that the Orders given were prior to the general Aſſociation.

Signed per Order,
THO. BROOK HODGKIN,
Nov. 21, 1769. Cl. eſpecially appointed.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the Lord Cambden, *Captain* John Johnſton, *and to be ſold, by Wholeſale or Retail, by the Subſcriber, at his Store, in* Church-Street, *near the* Dock, *for Sterling Cash, Bills of Exchange, or Current Money,*

A COMPLETE Aſſortment of *European* and *Eaſt-India* GOODS, ſuitable to the Seaſon, amongſt which are the following: *Stoughton's* Bitters, *Turlington's* Balſam, *Britiſh* Oil, *Hill's* Pectoral Balſam of Honey, Bardana, *Ward's* Head-ach Drops, *Anderſon's* Pills, Pepper, Nutmegs, Cinnamon, Cloves, Mace, Sugar-Candy, Hyſon, Congo, and Bohea Teas, Sago, Fig Blue, Salt-Petre, *Durham* Muſtard, and Salad Oil, Lemons by the half Cheſt, Quarter Cheſt, or Dozen, a few genteel plain and ſtriped Luteſtrings, Ladies white and black Patent and other Silk Gloves and Mits, Mens white Silk Gloves, white and colour'd Silk Stockings, Ermine and colour'd Silk Trimmings, black wove, Fan, white Blond and Lappet Lace; a genteel Aſſortment of Gauzes, Gauze Handkerchiefs and Aprons ſorted, Apron width Book-Muzlin, black and white Catgut, black and white *Paris* Net, Wax, mock Garnet and Pearl Necklaces, Garnet and Paſte Ear-Rings, yellow marking Canvaſs, Thread and Silk Turbands and Tippets, Ladies black Hat Feathers, black and white Oſtrich and Swan Plumes, with Two and Three Falls, Ladies genteel colour'd Sultana ditto, *China* Egrets, flowered and Blond ditto, Silver Sprigs, Ladies Breſt Flowers, new faſhioned Stomachers and Sleeve Bows, very neat faſhionable Feather and Sattin Muffs and Tippets,

** To thoſe who have hitherto favoured me with their Cuſtom, I return my very ſincere Thanks, and ſhall be glad that any who have Dealings with me, upwards of Twelve Months ſtanding, will take an early Opportunity of paying me. I intend to ſell Retail, at One Hundred *per Cent.* for ready Money. A Continuance of the Favours of my former good Cuſtomers, will oblige

Their obedient Servant,
(3w) JOSHUA JOHNSON.

WILLIAM FARIS,
CLOCK AND WATCHMAKER,
At the CROWN *and* DIAL, *near the Church, in* Weſt-Street, ANNAPOLIS,

BEGS Leave to inform the Public, that he has engaged Two exceeding good Workmen, (one of whom has been a Finiſher ſeveral Years to the celebrated Mr. *Allam*) and carries on the above Buſineſſes in all their various Branches.——The Gold, Silverſmiths and Jewellers Buſineſſes he ſtill carries on in the neateſt and beſt Manner.——He alſo executes any Orders he may be favoured with for Chair Work, having lately ſupplied himſelf with a good Workman, and has now for Sale, ſeveral Dozens of very neat black Walnut Chairs.——Thoſe who ſhall pleaſe to honour him with their Commands, may depend on being faithfully ſerved on reaſonable Terms, and with the utmoſt Diſpatch.——He continues to keep Tavern, having ſupplied himſelf with the beſt of Liquors, Hay and Oats, where Gentlemen will meet with polite Treatment and the beſt Accommodations for themſelves and Horſes, from

Their very humble Servant,
WILLIAM FARIS.

N. B. He gives ready Money, and the beſt Prices for old Gold and Silver

Dorcheſter County, *October* 30, 1769.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, on the 29th Inſt. a yellow Negro Man, named FRANK, about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, is a thick, well made, ſtrong Fellow, much given to Liquor, and is very impudent; he has a remarkable Scar on one of his Arms, occaſioned by the Bite of a Perſon he was engaged with in a Fight: Had on and took with him, a blue Fearnought Jacket, a *Welſh* Cotton, and a brown Cloth ditto, old Oſnabrig Shirt, a new ditto not made, Fuſtian Breeches, white Stockings and a new Pair of Pumps. Whoever ſecures ſaid Fellow, ſo that I get him again, ſhall receive Five Dollars beſides what they are lawfully entitled to, from (7w) WILLIAM GRAY.

A PARCEL of choice DRUGS and genuine Patent MEDICINES, juſt come to Hand, are to be ſold on the loweſt Terms, by WILLIAM WILKINS, at *Annapolis*, for Account of Dr. JOHN SPARHAWK, of *Philadelphia, viz. Turlinton's* Balſam, *Walker's* Jeſuits Drops, an infallible Cure for the Venereal Diſeaſe, all Weakneſſes of the Reins in both Sexes, however obſtinate, and from whatever Cauſe proceeding, likewiſe for the Stone, Gravel, and all ſcorbutic Caſes—Balſam of Honey for Conſumptions, Colds, and all Complaints of the Breaſt; Elixir Bardana, for the Rhematiſm and Gout; *Britiſh* Tooth-Powder, which preſerves the Teeth from decaying, renders them white as Ivory, and the Breath perfectly agreeable; *Anderſon's* Pills, I. I. and C. D. highly eſteemed for purging away all vicious Humours, reſtoring a good Appetite, and ſound Digeſtion; *Britiſh* Oil; *Daffy's* Elixir; Sugar Plumbs, a certain Cure for Worms of all Kinds, in Men, Women, and Children; Dr. *James's* Fever Powders; Dr. *Hill's* Eſſence for ſore Eyes, a ſure Remedy, greatly ſtrengthens and preſerves the Sight; *Bateman's* Drops; *Godfrey's* Cordial; *King's* Honey Water; *Locker's* Pills; Court Plaiſter; Oil Turpantine; Nipple Glaſſes; Emeticks; Purges; Rhubarb; Powder of Jeſuits Bark; Iſinglaſs; Sago; Manna; Salts; Spermaceti, &c. (3m)

Baltimore-Town, September 12, 1769,

THE Subſcriber hereby gives public Notice that he has begun Inoculation, at his Dwelling-Houſe, which ſtands diſtant from *Baltimore-Town*, Half a Mile, is a healthy Situation, and an agreeable Proſpect.——His Price as before, Two Piſtoles for Inoculation, and Twenty Shillings *per* Week for Board. And as the Sickneſs is ſo trifling, and the Confinement none, the Expence need not exceed Five Pounds Fourteen Shillings, or Six Pounds Currency; and may be inoculated any Month in the Year, *July* and *Auguſt* excepted.

I ſhall be obliged to thoſe who will favour me with their Cuſtom; and they may depend on being carefully and tenderly dealt with, by

Their humble Servant,
HENRY STEVENSON.

N. B. Thoſe who intend coming, are deſired not to change their Manner of Diet, or uſe any Preparation before hand, as it is rather prejudicial than otherwiſe.

THE Subſcriber, late from the Borough of *Lancaſter*, in the Province of *Pennſylvania*, takes this Method of informing the Public, that he has opened a large and commodious Houſe of Entertainment, in the Town of *Baltimore*, at the Corner of *Gay* and *Baltimore* Streets, oppoſite the Market-Houſe, lately occupied by Mr. *Andrew Stiger*, and may be known now by the one Tun and *Bacchus*, where all Gentlemen, who pleaſe to favour him, may depend on good Entertainment, from

Their very humble Servant,
(w6) JOHN LITTLE.

June 25, 1769.

THE FULLING-MILL at the Mouth of *Patuxent* River, is now provided with a good Fuller, and ready for Work; ſuch as fulling, dying and preſſing all Sorts of Clothes and Worſted Stuffs, ſcarlet and blue excepted, unleſs dyed before ſent to the Mill.—As the inſupportable Inconvenience attending the Collection of a Number of ſmall Debts, from various diſtant Parts of the Country, muſt be obvious to every one; and as this expenſive Undertaking was begun and proſecuted, principally to encourage the Manufacture of Woollen Country-Cloth, at a Time when the oppreſſive Meaſures, lately adopted and purſued by the Mother-Country, render it indiſpenſably neceſſary, for our own Well being, that every Individual ſhou'd manufacture as much as in his Power lies.—It is hoped that no Offence will be given if the Proprietors deſire the Money for fulling, &c. to be ſent by the Perſon who is to receive the Cloth, as it is abſolutely neceſſary to ſupport the Work.——All Perſons who will favour me with their Cloth, may depend on having it finiſhed off in the beſt Manner, and with all poſſible Diſpatch; and to prevent Miſtakes the Owner of every Piece of Cloth, is requeſted to put the initial Letters of his or her Name in the Web.

(tf) WILLIAM SCOTT.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living on *Kent Iſland*, in *Queen-Anne's* County, on Monday *September* 25, a yellow Negro Man, named FILL, about 23 Years of Age, middle Stature, and is very talkative: Had on, when he went away, an old Felt Hat, blue Jacket, and a ſtriped ditto without Sleeves, Country made Shirt, ſtriped Country Cloth Breeches. As there is a Canoe taken from the lower End of the Iſland, it is ſuppoſed he has made over for Thomas's Point.——Whoever takes up the ſaid Negro, and ſecures him, ſo that his Maſter may get him again, ſhall receive, if taken on the Iſland Fifteen ſhillings; if out of the County Forty Shillings Reward, and reaſonable Charges if brought home, paid by JOHN COCKEY.

TO THE

PUBLIC.

THE Want of a proper SCHOOL for the Inſtruction of Youth, ſeverely felt by the Inhabitants of *Frederick* County, induces them to ſubmit the following SCHEME of a LOTTERY to the Conſideration of the Benevolent and Generous, which it is earneſtly hoped will meet the Approbation and Encouragement of all thoſe who wiſh to ſee Science flouriſh in every Part of *Maryland*.

The Funds appropriated by Act of Aſſembly to the Public School in *Frederick* County, being inſufficient to erect the neceſſary Buildings, it is propoſed by this Lottery, to raiſe Nine Hundred Dollars, to aid that Deficiency,

To conſiſt of Three Thouſand TICKETS, *at Two Dollars each; Eight Hundred and Fifty-two of which will be fortunate, without any Deduction*, viz.

1 Prize of	250	Dollars, is	250	Dollars.
1 - -	200	- - -	200	
2 - -	125	- - -	250	
2 - -	100	- - -	200	
6 - -	50	- - -	300	
8 - -	25	- - -	200	
12 - -	15	- - -	180	
40 - -	10	- - -	400	
780 - -	4	- - -	3120	
			9008=rais'd.	
Prizes, 852				
Blanks, 2148				
3000 Tickets, 2 Dollars each,			6000	Dollars.

By the above SCHEME, there are a little more than Two Blanks and an Half to a Prize, and the Profits retained, are Fifteen *per Cent.* on the whole.

When the Tickets are diſpoſed of, the Drawing is to begin (previous Notice of which to be given in the MARYLAND GAZETTE) in the Court-Houſe of the ſaid County, in Preſence of Six of the Managers at leaſt, and as many of the Adventurers as ſhall think proper to attend.

The Managers are, Meſſieurs *Jonathan Wilſon, Thomas Bowles, George Murdock, Joſeph Wood, Thomas Price, Caſper Shaaf, Charles Beattey, Samuel Beall*, jun. *Normand Bruce, Andrew Heugh, Eneas Cumbell, Chriſtopher Edelin, John Cary, Lodowick Weltner, Peter Grayſh, Thomas Neill, Nicholas Tice, Samuel Hughes, Thomas Johns*, and *James Brand*, who are to give Bond, and be on Oath for the faithful Diſcharge of their Truſt.

A Liſt of the Prizes to be publiſhed in the MARYLAND GAZETTE, as ſoon as the Drawing is finiſhed, and the Prizes to be paid off, without any Deduction.

N. B. Any Money paſſing current in the Province, to be received in the Sale of the Tickets, and the ſame to be accepted in Payment of the Prizes drawn by the fortunate Adventurers.

** TICKETS *to be had of any of the Managers, and at the* Printing-Office, *in* Annapolis.

WILLIAM WHETCROFT,
GOLDSMITH *and* JEWELLER *in* Weſt-Street, Annapolis.

HAVING purchaſed the Servants lately belonging to Mr. *Knapp* with all the Materials for carrying on the Watch and Clock-making Buſineſſes hereby informs the Public, that he Repairs all ſorts of Clocks and Watches, in the beſt and moſt approved Manner; and as he has a complete Apparatus for cutting Wheels with more Expedition and Exactneſs than uſual, they may depend on having their Work done in the moſt careful Manner, and on better Terms than heretofore.

He alſo carries on the Goldſmiths and Jewellers Buſineſſes in the moſt extenſive Manner, as he has imported a great Variety of Materials, and has extreme good Workmen for the executing the above Branches. Thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen who pleaſe to favour him with their Cuſtom, may depend that the utmoſt Exertion of his Abilities to merit their Eſteem, ſhall be his whole Study and greateſt Ambition.

N. B. He has a great Variety of ready made Work by him, which he will Sell at the moſt reaſonable Rates.

** He gives the beſt Prices for old Gold, Silver and Silver-Lace. (tf)

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